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TAGS: EAID, MASS, US, AP

SUBJECT: SENATE AMENDMENT ON AID TO AFGHANISTAN

1. THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENT TO THE FOREIGN ASSISTANCE
APPROPRIATIONS BILL WAS PASSED BY THE SENATE BY A VOICE
VOTE SEPTEMBER 32:

2. QUOTE: SECTION 699. NONE OF THE FUNDS APPROPRIATED
OR OTHERWISE MADE AVAILABLE PURSUANT TO TITLES 1 AND 2
OF THIS ACT SHALL BE OBLIGATED OR EXPENDED TO FINANCE
DIRECTLY ANY ASSISTANCE TO NICARAGUA AND AFGHANISTAN
EXCEPT THAT THE PRESIDENT MAY WAIVE THIS PROVISION BY
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OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE CHAIRMEN OF THE SENATE
COMMITTEES ON FOREIGN RELATIONS AND APPROPRIATIONS THAT
SUCH FUNDS WILL SERVE TO PROMOTE DEMOCRATIC PROCESS IN
THAT COUNTRY. END QUOTE.

3. BILL ITSELF IS EXPECTED TO PASS SHORTLY AND NEXT STEP
WILL BE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION. CHRISTOPHER

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